



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5689

LCO No. 1626

Referred to Committee on Commerce

Introduced by:

REP. KIRKLEY-BEY, 5th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HARTFORD
WEST INDIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars be appropriated to
- 2 the Commission on Culture and Tourism, from the General Fund, for
- 3 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, and annually thereafter, for
- 4 support of the Hartford West Indian Independence Day celebration.

Statement of Purpose:

To preserve the Hartford West Indian Independence Day celebration
and to recognize and celebrate the cultural contributions of the West
Indian community.